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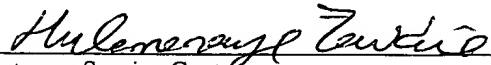
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

This document is submitted in response to the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS, dated 20 February 2001.

Transmitted herewith are TWO (2) sheets of formal drawing in substitution for the photocopies of the drawing originally filed.

Respectfully submitted

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